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Grade: 3 Reading

Theme Two Selection: 2

"Anthony Reynoso: Born to Rope"

Read the selection.

Then, answer the following questions.

1. What is the main tradition in this story?

- a) They dress as a charro.
- b) They make piñatas.
- c) They take photographs of the family.
- d) They rope and ride Mexican style.

2. How would you describe Anthony?

- a) lazy
- b) hard-working
- c) mean
- d) shy

3. Which of the following statements is a fact?

- a) Anthony is an excellent roper.
- b) Anthony has the best costume.
- c) Anthony performs in Sedona.
- d) Anthony is better than his dad at roping.

4. What is a synonym for exhibition?

- a) show
- b) party
- c) trip
- d) costume

5. When does Anthony's family usually go to Slide Rock?

- a) They go to Slide Rock after they perform in Sedona.
- b) They go to Slide Rock after their annual family picture.
- c) They go to Slide Rock to prepare for a show.
- d) They go to Slide Rock after their cousin's birthday party.

6. Read this sentence from the selection.

"Sometimes tourists want us to pose for pictures with them. It makes me feel like a celebrity."

What is the definition of the word celebrity?

- a) a boring person
- b) a famous person
- c) a friendly pest
- d) a little child

7. How does Anthony feel about the family tradition of roping?

- a) He thinks it is old-fashioned.
- b) He is tired of practicing so much in his free time.
- c) He hopes to change it.
- d) He enjoys it and wants to pass on the skill.

8. Which of the following is a proper noun?

- a) rodeo
- b) rope
- c) Casa Reynoso
- d) tradition

9. Anthony does many things when he is not roping. What is one activity from the story that would be in this group?

- a) Anthony goes grocery shopping with his mom.
- b) Anthony goes to football games.
- c) Anthony takes piano lessons.
- d) Anthony collects basketball cards.

Open-ended Response

Anthony is going to be a big brother soon. What may be one thing that Anthony will teach his new brother or sister? What is one thing you have learned from someone older than you? Use complete sentences and write neatly.

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Answer Key and Eligible Content

Item Number	Answer	Descriptor	Assessment Anchor
1	d	Main Idea	R3.A.1.4
2	b	Inference	R3.A.1.3
3	c	Fact/Opinion	R3.B.3.1
4	a	Synonym	R3.A.1.1.2
5	a	Sequence	R3.B.1.1
6	b	Vocabulary	R3.A.1.1.1
7	d	Inference	R3.A.1.3
8	c	Word Recognition	R3.A.1.2
9	d	Text Organization	R3.B.3.3.4

Open-ended Rubric

3 Points

Paragraph describes both points with descriptive details from the story.

2 Points

Paragraph describes both points without descriptive details from the story.

1 Point

Paragraph describes only one of the points with descriptive details from the story.

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Response provides insufficient material for scoring, is inaccurate, or incomplete